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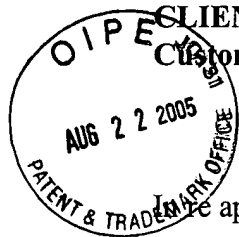
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In response to the Office Action dated May 17, 2005, the Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and full allowance of all pending claims.